

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES. STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Violet Varona-Lukens, Executive Officer Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held July 15, 2003, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Knabe made the following statement:

"Los Angeles City Mayor James Hahn released the latest version of his new Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) Master Plan on Wednesday, July 9, 2003. The people of the City of Los Angeles will have 45 days of public review for a report that has been nearly two years in the making. All of the public hearings scheduled for the Mayor's new LAX Master Plan are scheduled during the month of August when most families are out of town on vacation.

"The LAX Master Plan has been a source of great community concern and controversy for several years and up until last Wednesday, local residents, business leaders and elected officials had not seen the final plan. In all fairness to the neighboring communities and local businesses which will be effected by the LAX Master Plan, the public should have more than 45 days to review and comment on thousands of pages of technical documents."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Knabe, seconded by Supervisor Molina, unanimously carried, the Executive Officer of the Board was instructed to send a five-signature letter to City of Los Angeles Mayor James Hahn requesting the public review period for the Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) Master Plan be extended to at least 90 days to allow the public the greatest opportunity to review and understand the nearly \$10 billion Master Plan.

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Letter sent to: Mayor, City of Los Angeles